

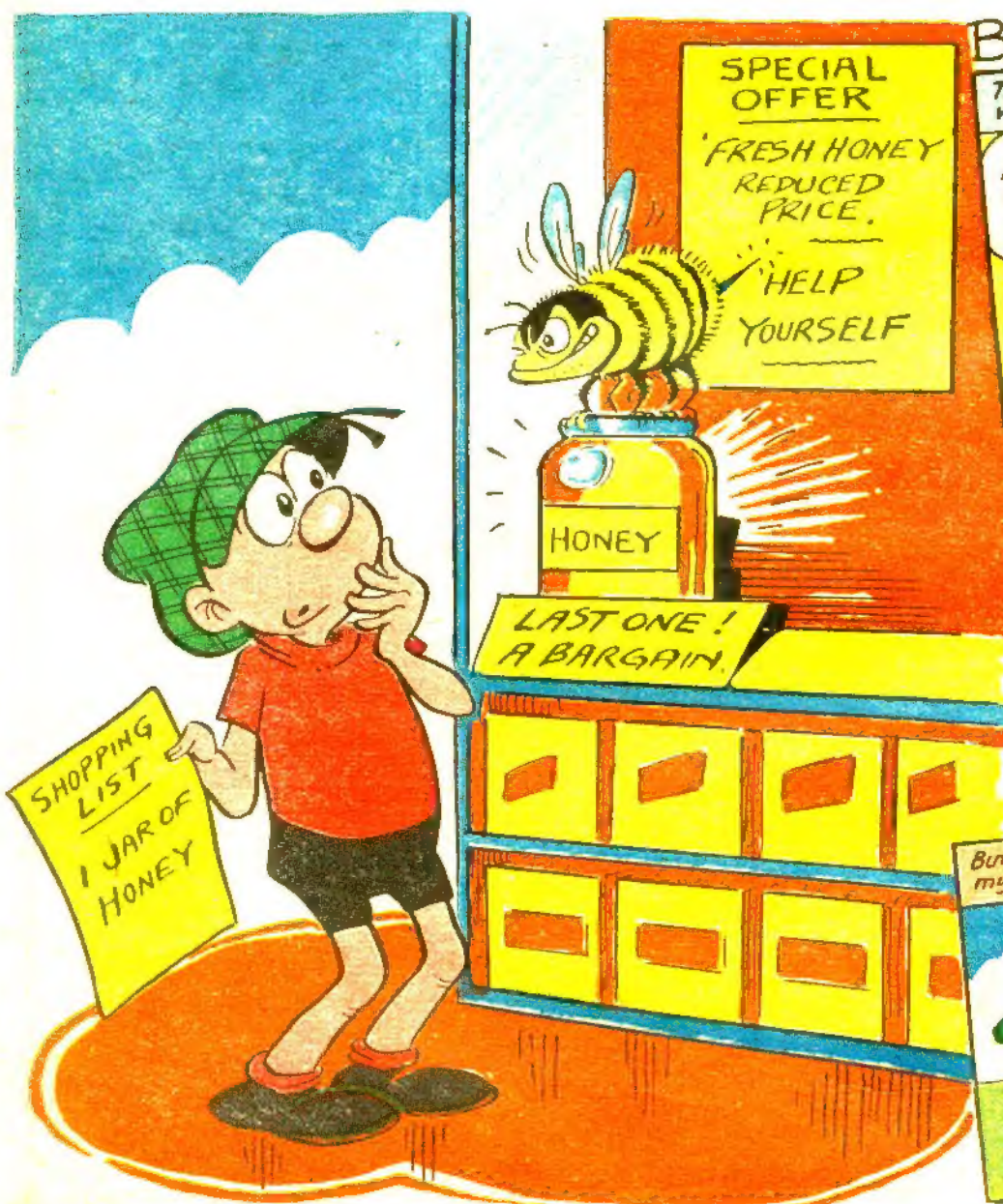
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EVERY MONDAY

14p

31st OCTOBER, 1981



Buster's Diary

The Lady President of Mum's bingo club was coming to tea...

SHE LIKES HONEY! NIP DOWN TO THE SHOP AND GET A JAR BEFORE IT CLOSES!

OKAY, MUM! I LIKE HONEY, TOO!

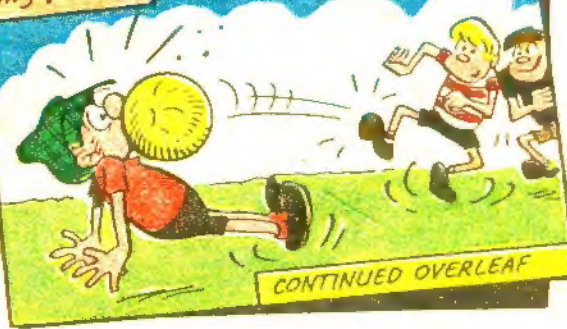


HURRY! DON'T STOP ON THE WAY!

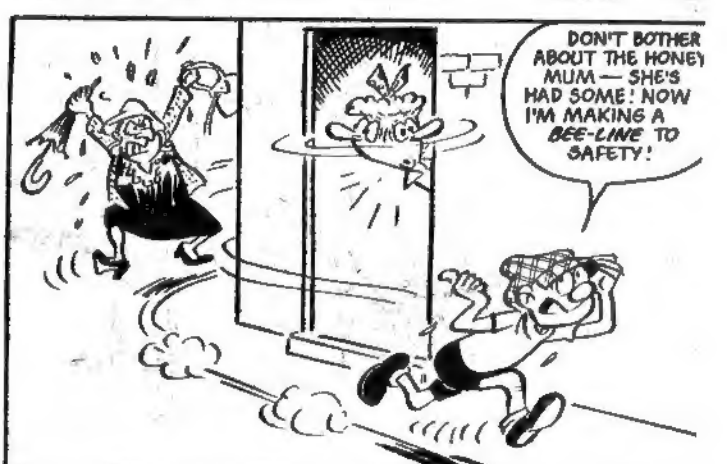
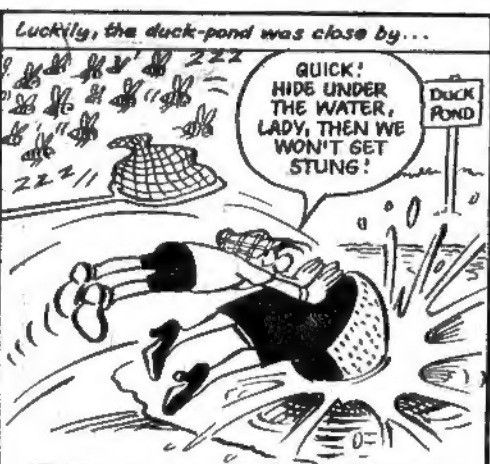
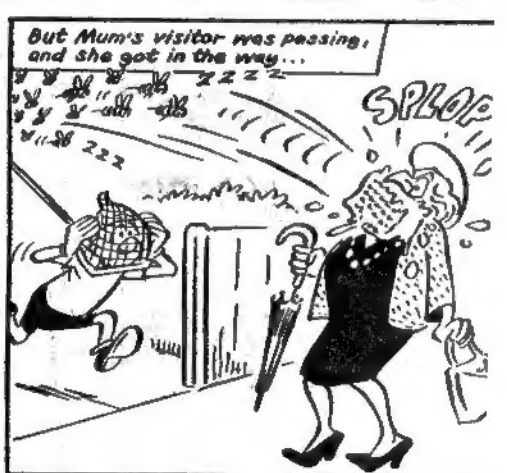
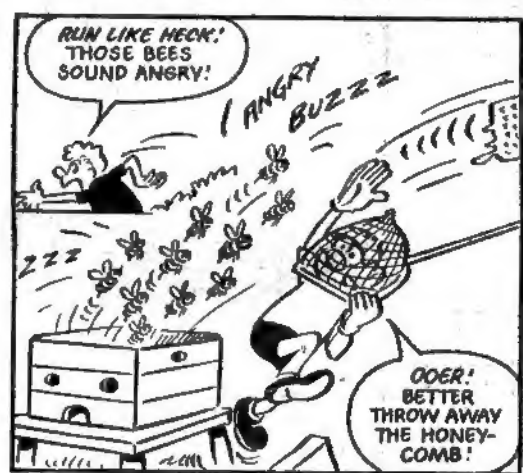
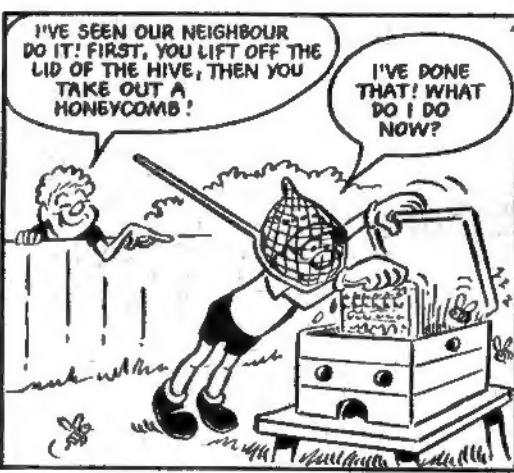
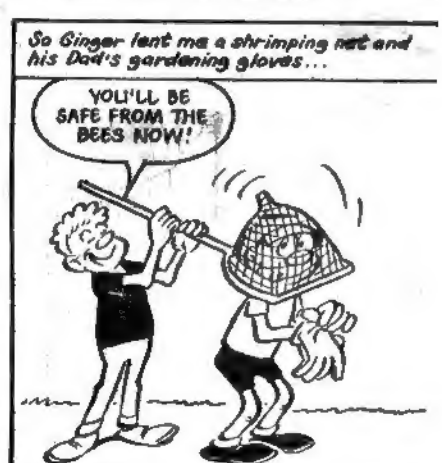
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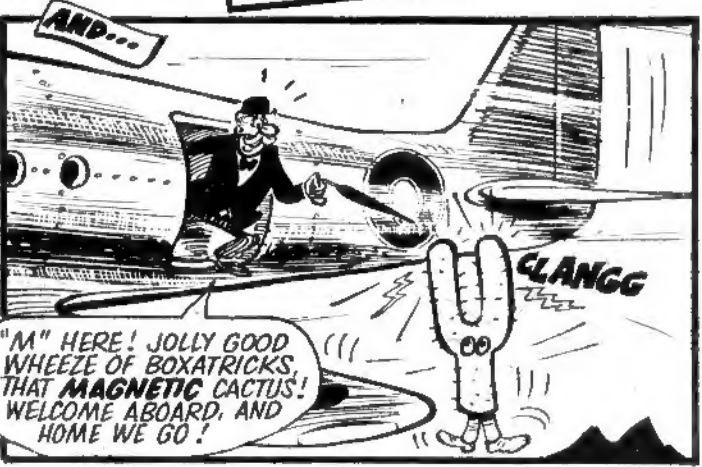
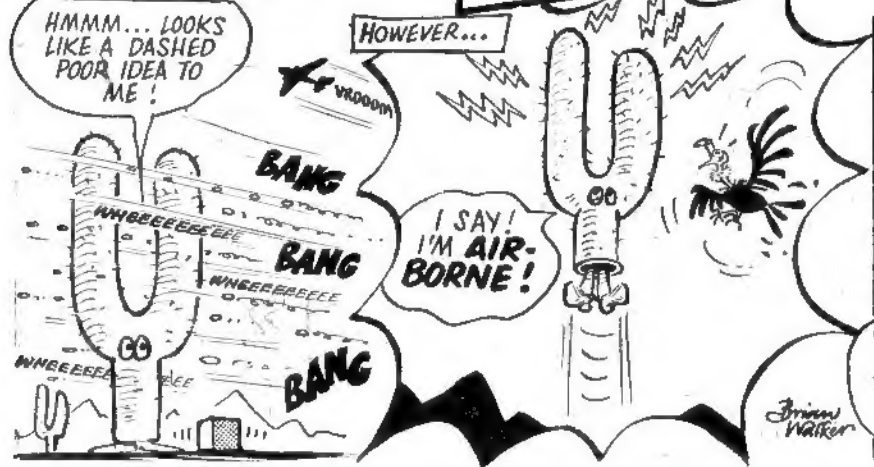
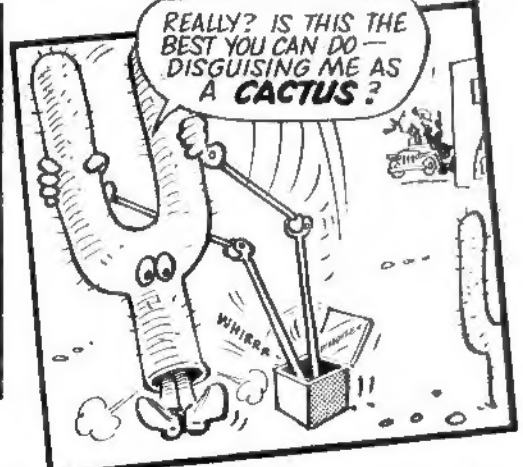
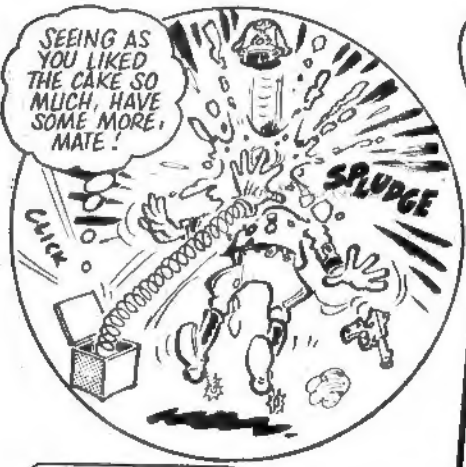


But I did... when I stopped a ball with my face...

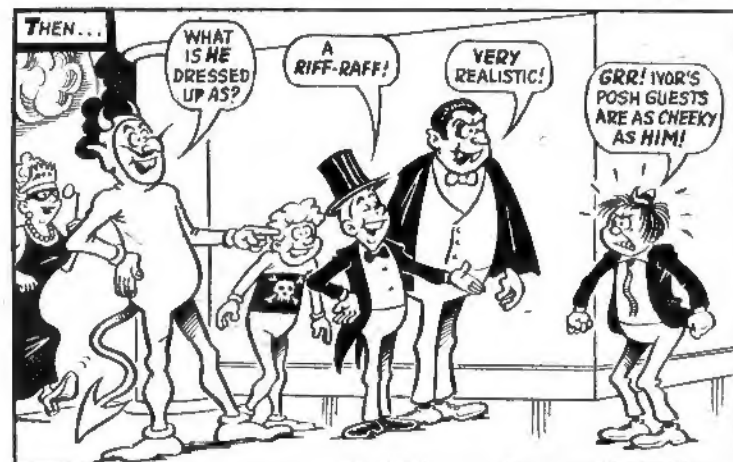
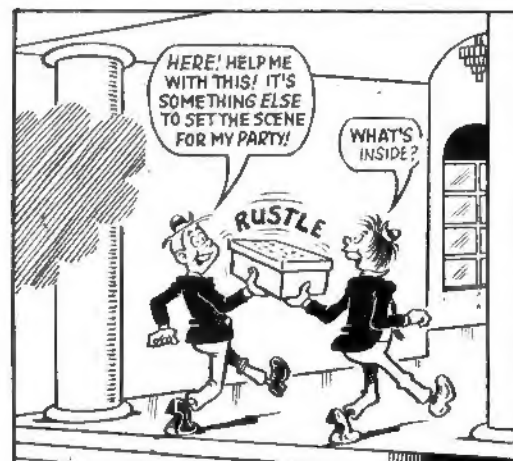
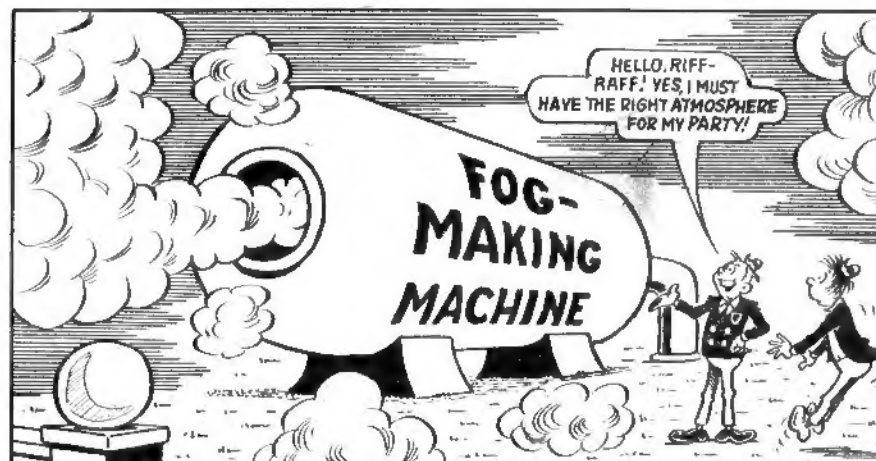
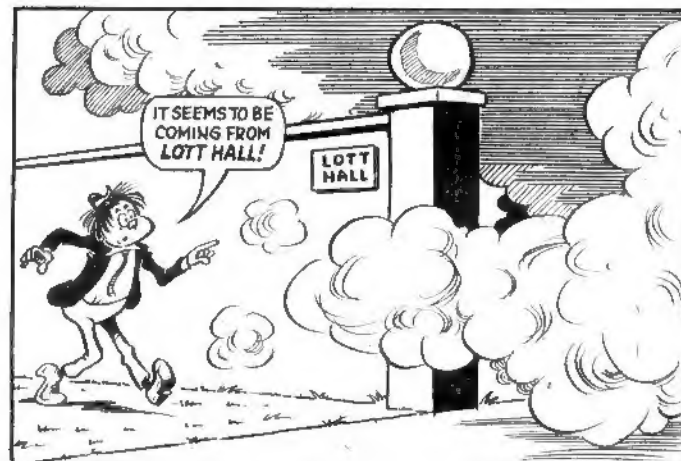


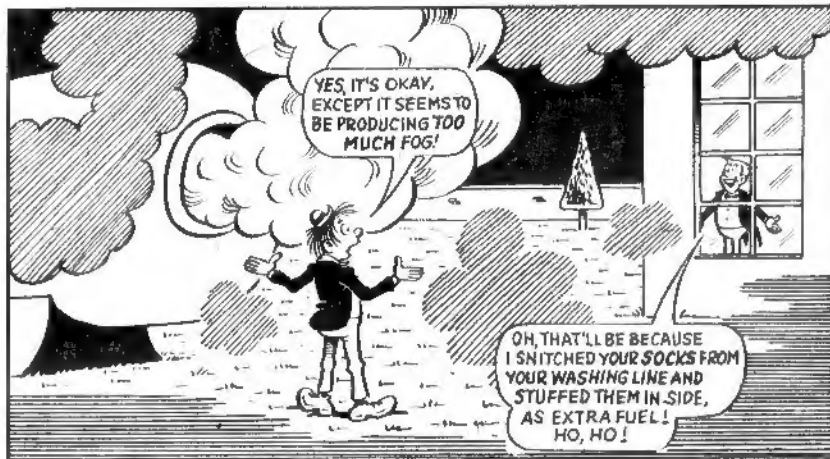
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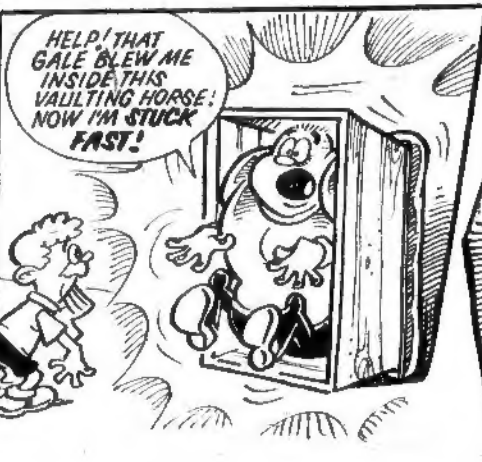
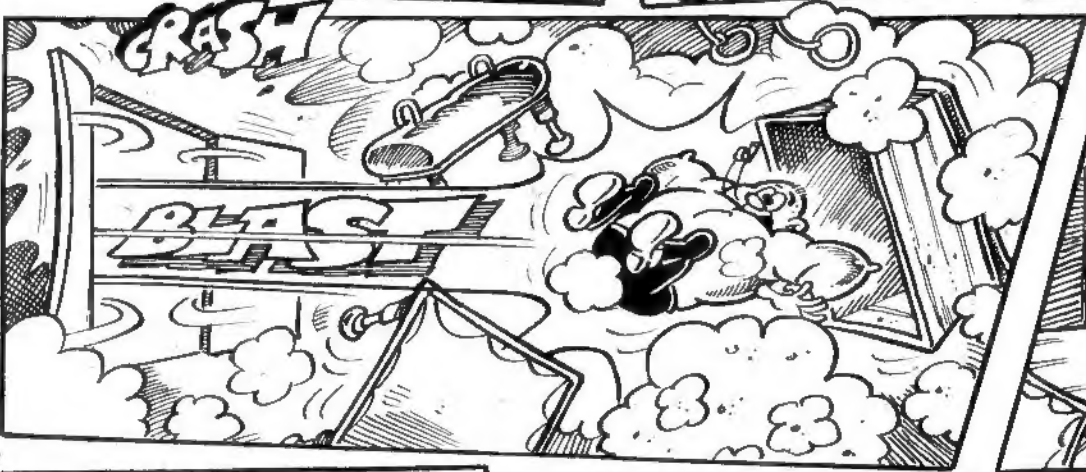
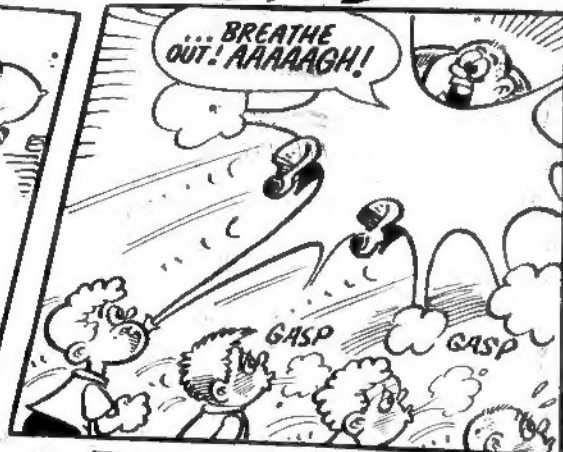
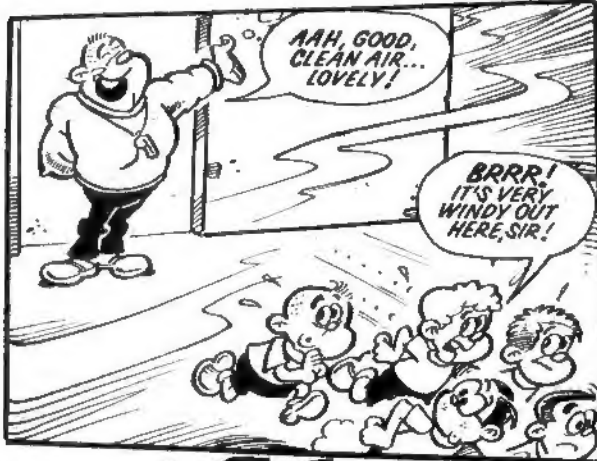


IVOR LOTT *and* TONY BROKE





BILLY BLOW



DEADLY HEDLEY

Vampire Detective

HEDLEY AND AUNT HARRIET WERE AT A FUN-FAIR ...

LET'S SEE THAT, AUNT!

FREAKS AND HORRORS SHOW

BUT...

THESE AREN'T SCARY!

THEY'RE NOT EVEN REAL!

GODZILLA

WERE-WOLF

POP

IN THE HALL OF FUNNY MIRRORS...

HEE, HEE! THIS IS FUN!

NOT FOR ME! VAMPIRES DON'T HAVE REFLECTIONS IN MIRRORS!

NOW THAT LOOKS INTERESTING! I WONDER IF THE ANIMALS REALLY TALK?

SEE THE TALKING ANIMALS! ONLY 50p

WATCHER, MATE! I CAN'T TALK TOO LOUD, 'COS I'M A LITTLE HOARSE! HEH, HEH!

CRICKET! THEY DO!

HELLO, THERE! THEY SAY ELEPHANTS NEVER FORGET, BUT I FORGET WHY!

HANG ON! IF THAT'S AN INDIAN ELEPHANT, WHY IS IT SPEAKING ENGLISH?

TALKING INDIAN ELEPHANT

AND...

I REMEMBER THINGS BY TYING A KNOT IN MY TRUNK!

I'VE TURNED INTO A BAT TO INVESTIGATE AND... AH-HA! A LOUDSPEAKER!

POP

SO THERE'S A BLOKE DOING THE TALKING!

GOT ANY BUNS? WE ELEPHANTS LOVE THEM!

HEY, YOU! THAT'S NAUGHTY, LETTING PEOPLE THINK YOUR ANIMALS CAN SPEAK!

AAGH! A TALKING BAT! MY EVIL TRICKS HAVE COME TO HAUNT ME!

WAAH! I'LL NEVER DO IT AGAIN! I PROMISE!

SHOULD WE HAVE PAID TO SEE THE GIBBERIN' MAN, DEAR—OR ISN'T HE PART OF THE SHOW?

ZOOOM

M. Baxendale

The Leopard from LIME ST.

BILLY FARMER, THE BOY WITH THE STRENGTH AND AGILITY OF A FULLY-GROWN LEOPARD, HAD TAKEN A PHOTOGRAPH OF A STRANGE, GREY CREATURE WHICH WAS REPLIED TO HAUNT DERELICT GARSTON HALL. ON THE WAY TO SCHOOL, ONE MORNING, BILLY DECIDED TO INVESTIGATE...





NO! IT'S
OVER THERE...
BEYOND THAT
DOORWAY!

CRACKLE

MAYBE IT'S THE
CREATURE!
IF SO, I'D BETTER
BE READY!



SCRUNCH



SECONDS LATER...

HOLD
IT RIGHT
THERE!

EEEEK!



OOPS! MY
MISTAKE!

GOOD
GRACIOUS!
IT'S ONLY
A LITTLE
BOY...

BILLY PRETENDED
TO LOSE HIS
GRIP...



KTHOMP

NNNNK!

HOW DARE
YOU STARTLE
ME LIKE THAT!
YOU COULD HAVE
INTERRUPTED
MY INVESTI-
GATIONS!



INVESTIGATIONS?

AND THERE IS A... A PRESENCE
HERE, RIGHT ENOUGH! CAN'T YOU
SENSE IT, YOUNG MAN? CAN'T YOU
FEEL HOW COLD IT IS?



WELL, I,
ER... SUPPOSE
IT IS A BIT
NIPPY!

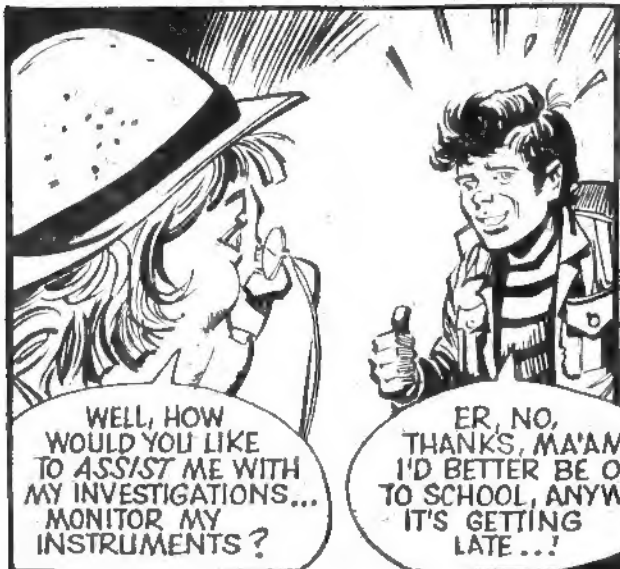
YES! I AM MISS MIRIAM
THOMSETT, AN INVESTIGATOR OF
THE SUPERNATURAL! IT WAS I WHO
IDENTIFIED THE MARAUDING CREATURE
AS THE "GREY GHOST OF GARSTON HALL"
FROM THE DESCRIPTION IN THE NEWSPAPER'S!



BUT WHAT
ARE YOU DOING
HERE, MAY I
ASK?

OH, I'M,
ER... JUST SORT
OF MOONING
AROUND, MISS
THOMSETT! I READ
ABOUT THE GHOST
IN THE NEWS-
PAPERS, TOO!

CONTINUED
OVERLEAF



WELL, HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO ASSIST ME WITH MY INVESTIGATIONS... MONITOR MY INSTRUMENTS?

ER, NO, THANKS, MA'AM! I'D BETTER BE OFF TO SCHOOL, ANYWAY! IT'S GETTING LATE...



WHAT ABOUT AFTER SCHOOL THEN? I'LL STILL BE HERE!

SEEMS LIKE A BIT OF AN ECCENTRIC TO ME! I WONDER WHERE THIS IS ALL GOING TO END?

THE STRANGE AFFAIR HAD STARTED WITH BILLY'S SEARCH FOR HIS EVIL ROBOT 'DOUBLE' WHICH HAD VANISHED INTO THE COUNTRYSIDE AROUND SELBRIDGE...

SEEMS STRANGE THAT NO-ONE HAS SIGHTED IT! MAYBE IT'S RUSTING AWAY IN A DITCH SOMEWHERE... BROKEN AND HARMLESS...



... SO I'LL CONCENTRATE ON SOLVING THE MYSTERY OF THE 'GREY GHOST'!... AFTER OLD THOMSETT IS OUT OF THE WAY, THAT IS!



MEANWHILE, BACK IN THE HOUSE, MIRIAM THOMSETT WAS STILL FIDDLING WITH HER MASS OF GADGETS, WHEN...



KREEK

WHIRRR

AH-HAH! SO YOU'VE CHANGED YOUR MIND, YOUNG MAN! COME TO GIVE ME A HELPING HAND, EH?



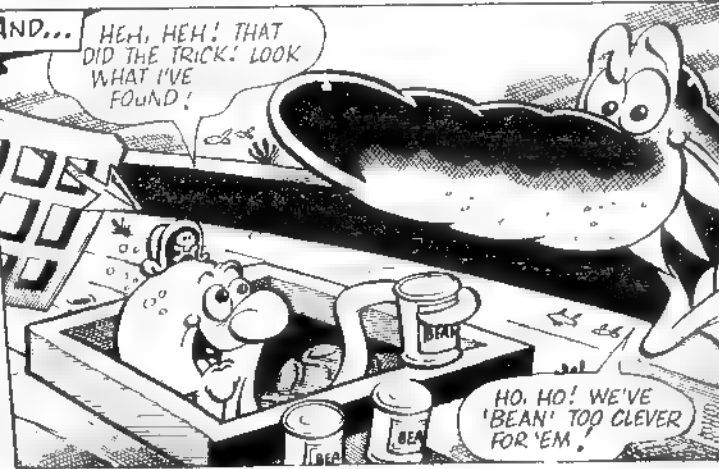
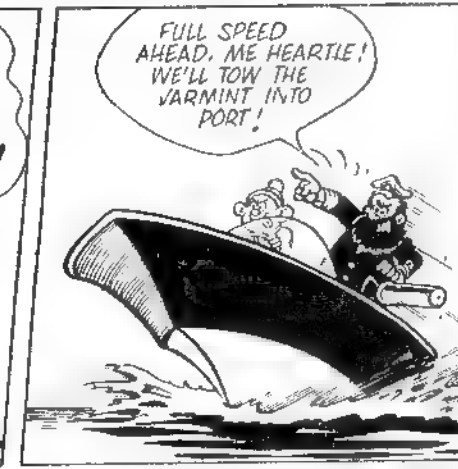
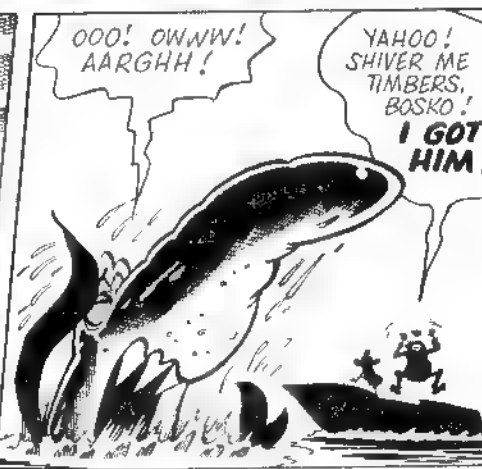
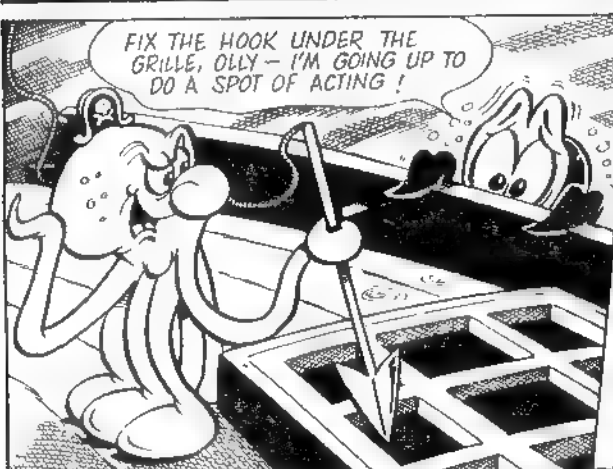
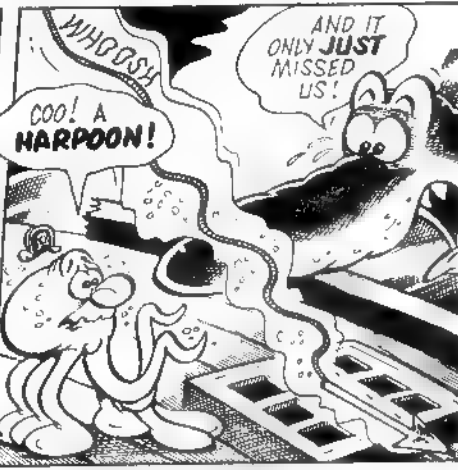
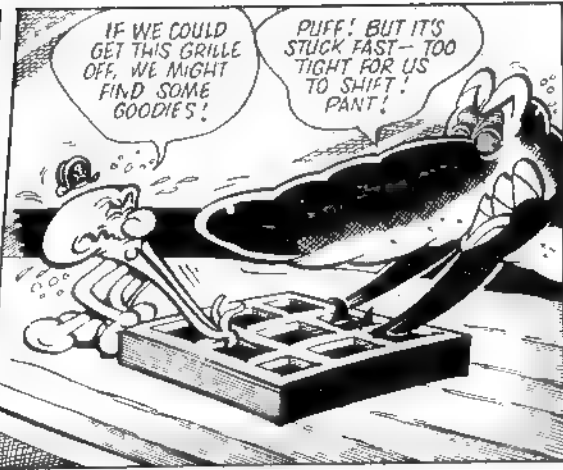
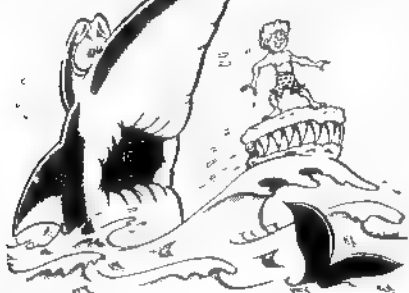
YEZZZZZZZ!

THUMP

AAAAIEEEEE!

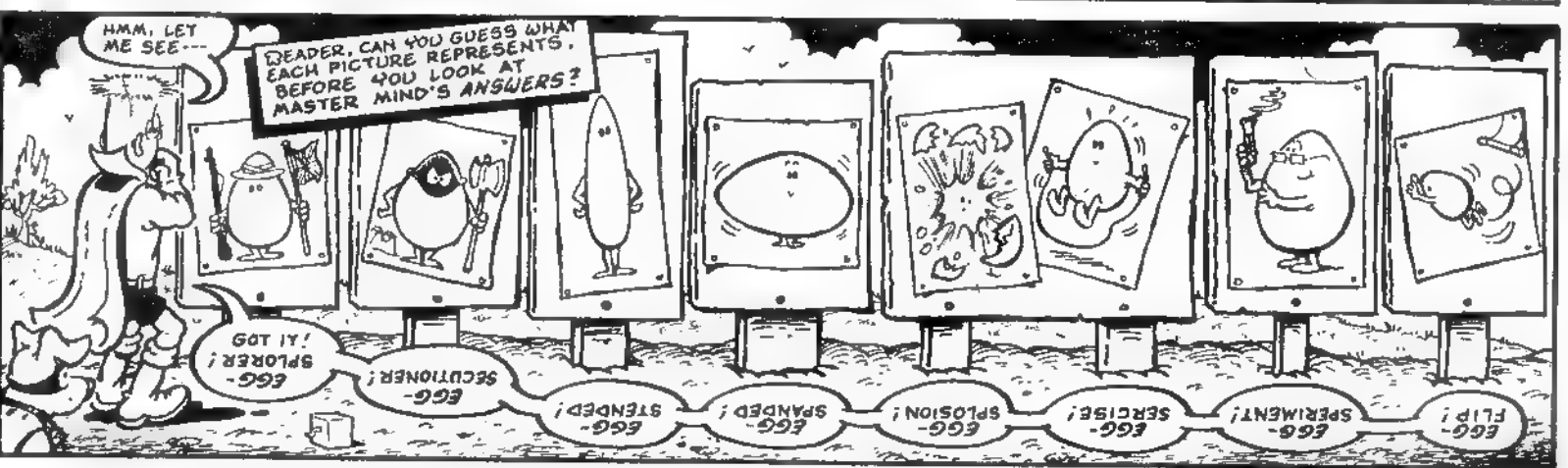
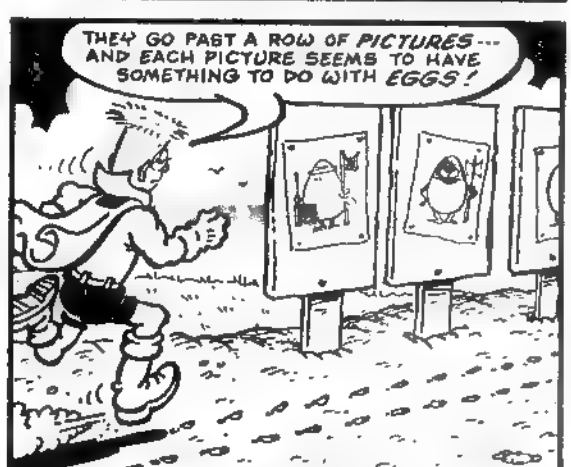
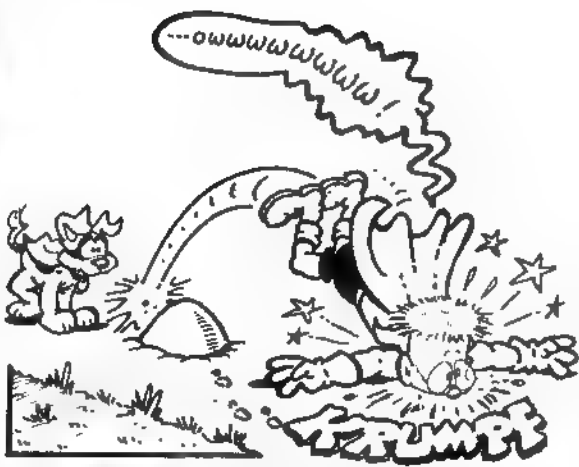
What will become of Miss Thomsett? Don't miss the next exciting episode!

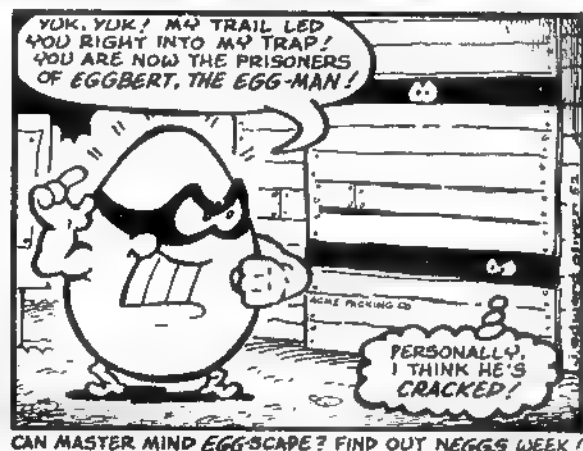
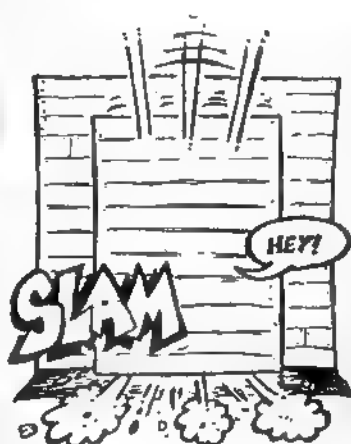
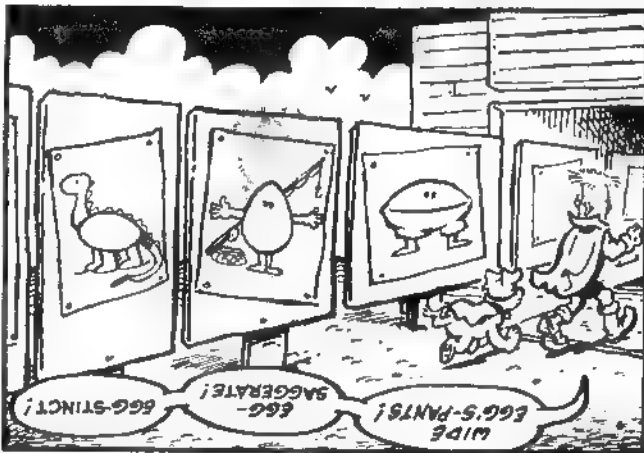
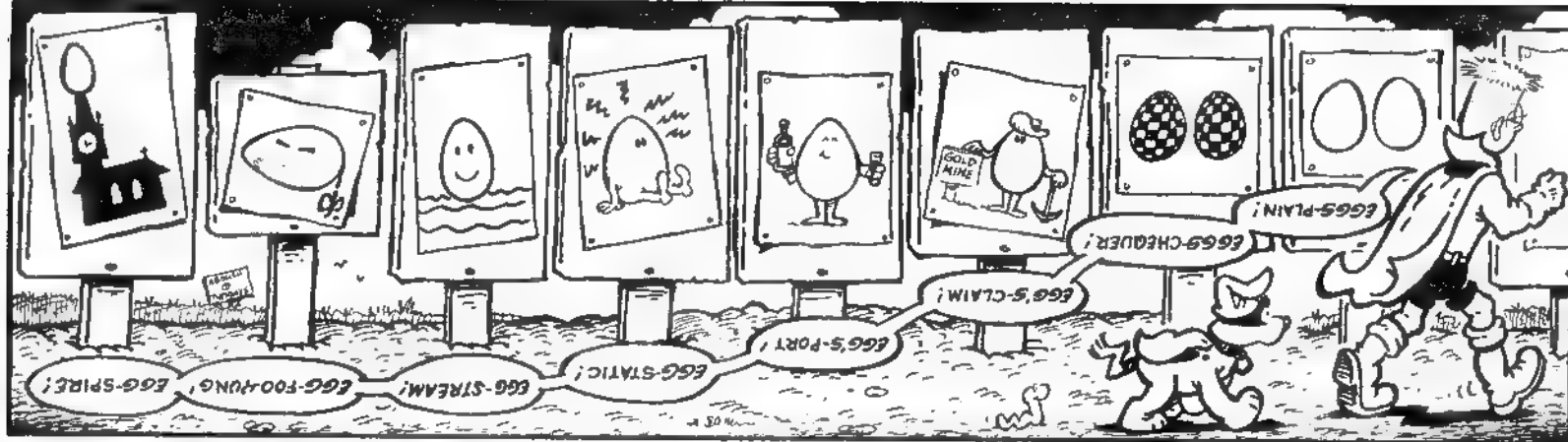
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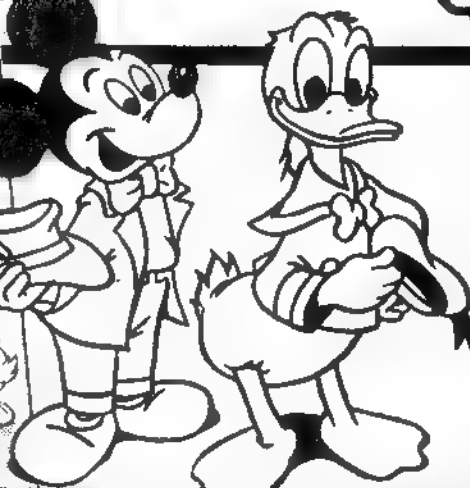
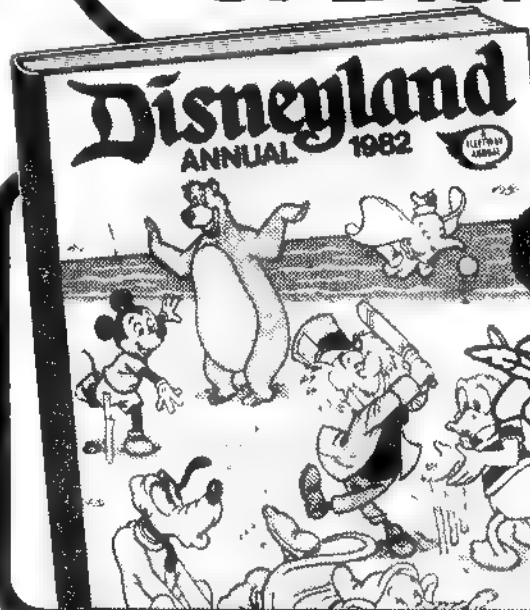
MASTER MIND AND BONES, THE WONDER DOG, WERE WALKING HOME FROM THE SEASIDE AT 4 PM





CAN MASTER MIND EGG-SCAPE? FIND OUT NEGGS WEEK!

**All the magic
of Disney...**

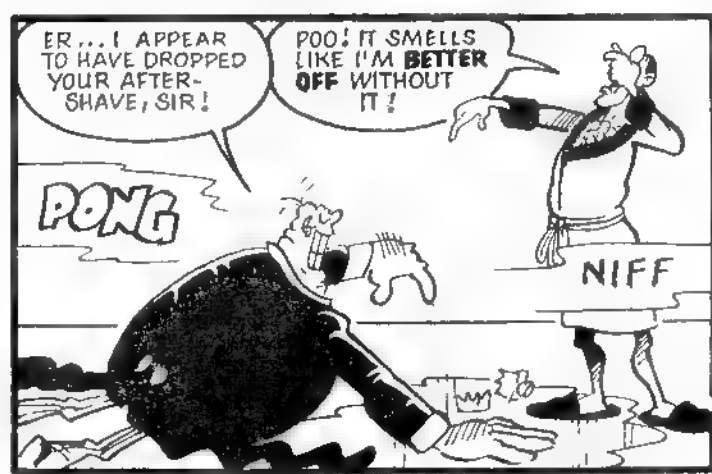
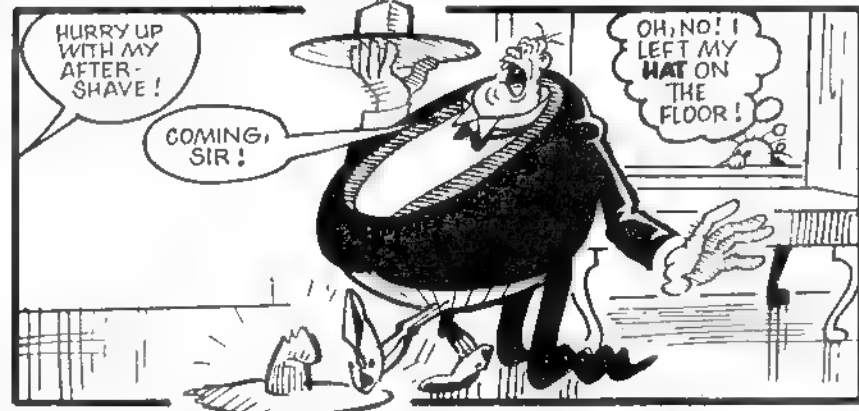
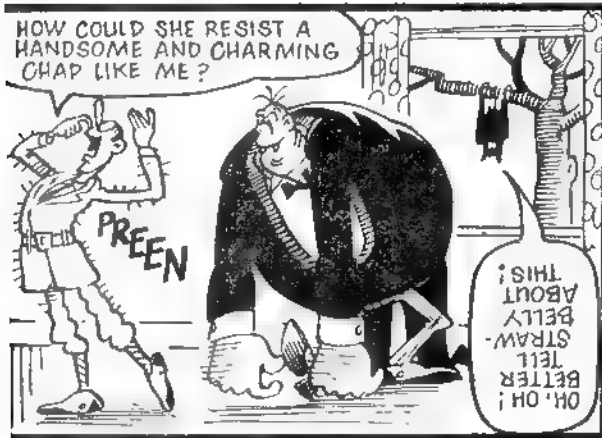
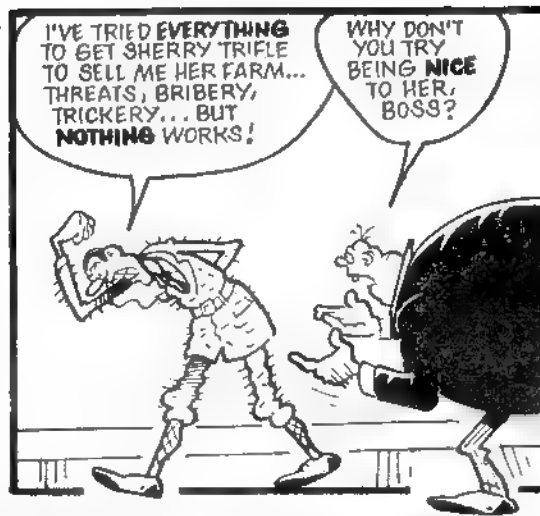


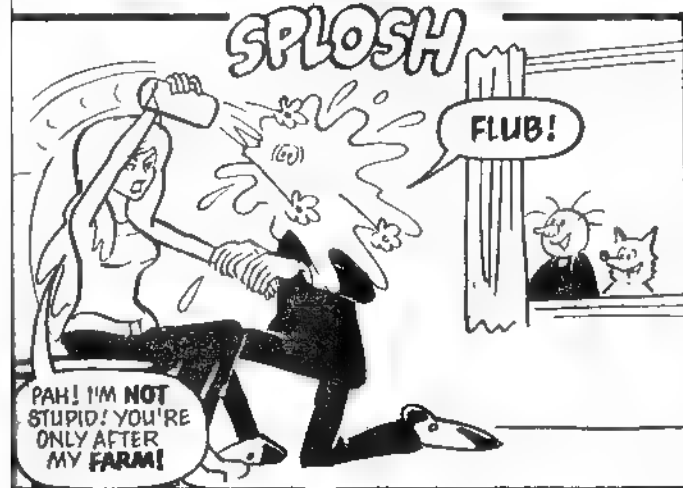
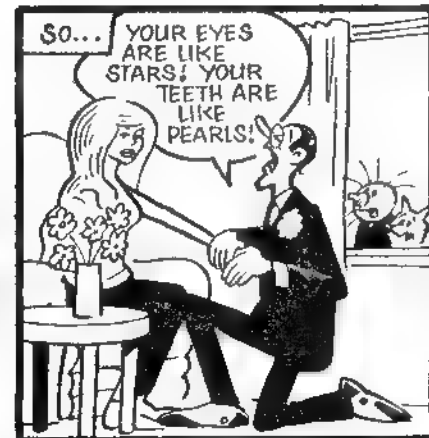
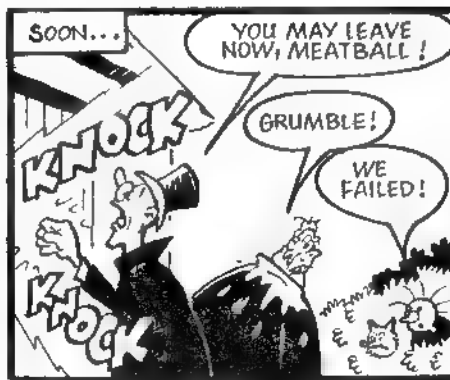
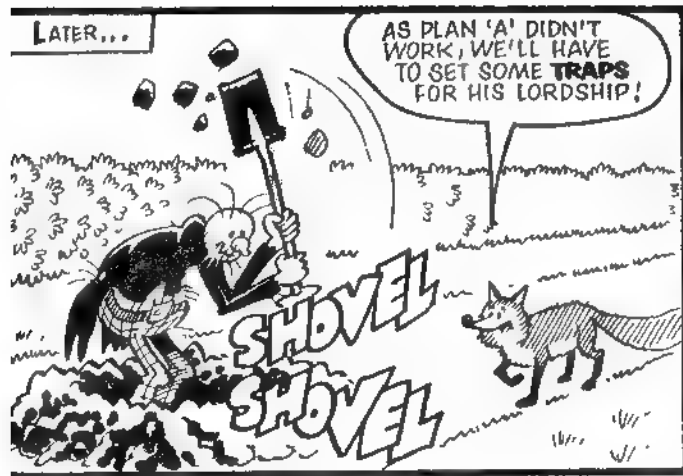
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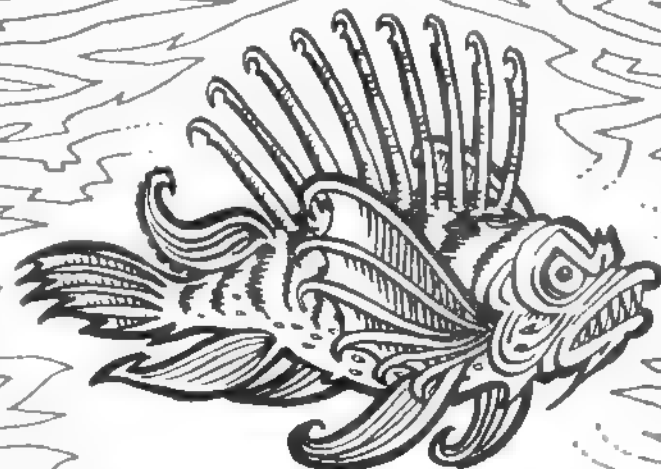
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FEEL THE 'PINCH'!



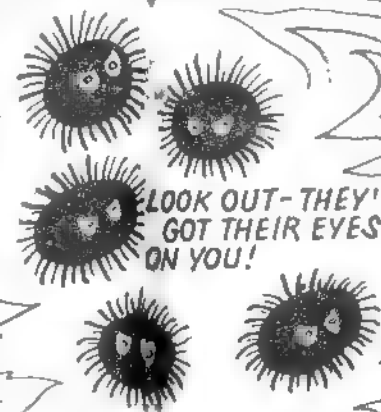
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LOOK OUT-THEY'VE GOT THEIR EYES ON YOU!



MIND THE MONSTER!



GET TOO CLOSE AND YOU'LL FEEL THE 'PINCH'!



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'ANEMONE' OF ANYONE WHO COMES NEAR!



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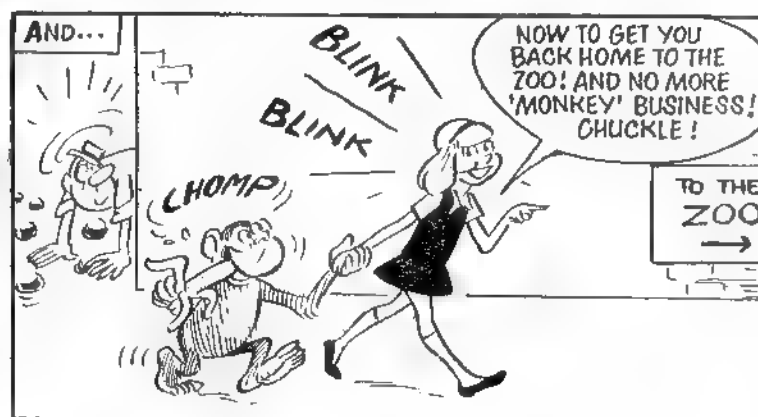
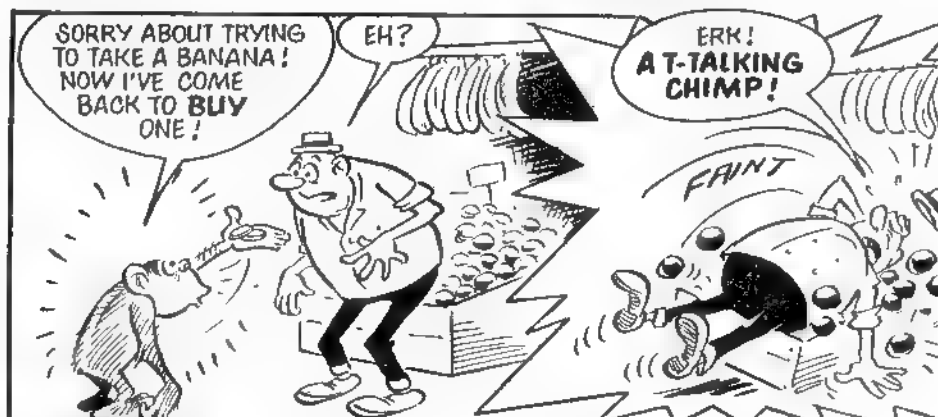
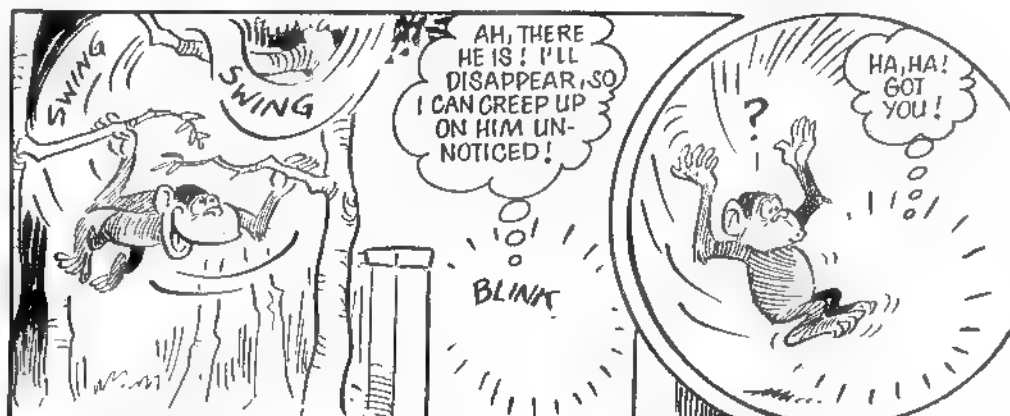
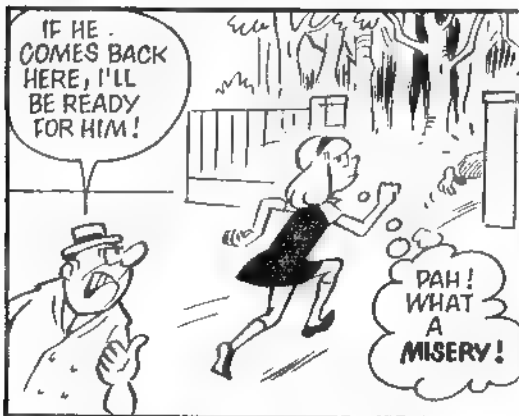
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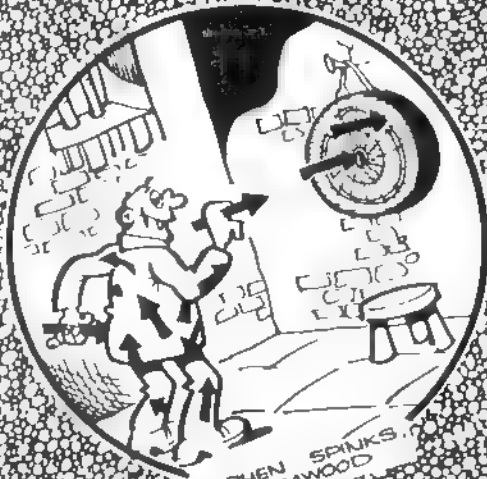
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Disappearing **TRIX**





BUSTER'S BONUS JOKE-BOX



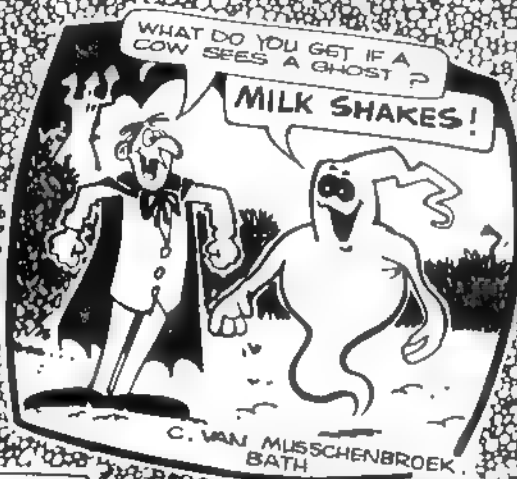
STEPHEN SPINKS...
BOREHAMWOOD



WHY AREN'T YOU GOING TO
THE HALLOWE'EN DANCE?

NO BODY TO
GO WITH!

ORLA FORDE,
BALLYMENA



WHAT DO YOU GET IF A
COW SEES A GHOST?

MILK SHAKES!

C. VAN MISSCHENBROEK
BATH

HALLOWE'EN
IS A GOOD
EXCUSE FOR
GOBLIN
'NANAS!

WHY HAVE YOU STOPPED
MAKING DOUGHNUTS?

BECAUSE I'M
TIRED OF THE
HOLE
BUSINESS!

BEET'S
BAKERY

DUNCAN BUCKLEY,
OLDHAM

DID YOU HEAR ABOUT
THE HALLOWE'EN
FOOTBALL TEAM,
WHO PLAYED
LIKE DEMONS
AND SCORED
LOTS OF
GHOULS!

SOUNDS LIKE
WITCH
BROOMICH
ALBION OR THE
WEREWOLVES!

WHEN IS A BED
MUCH
BOUNCIED?

JOE'S BEDS
IN SPRING!

AUTUMN
Sale!

G. PHELPS,
BIRMINGHAM

...AND THEY'RE
VERY GOOD FOR
YOUR ELF!

WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE
BUILDING IN NEW YORK,
HEDLEY?

THE VAMPIRE
STATE BUILDING!

SUZANNE NETA,
NEWCROSS

HOW DID YOU FEEL WHEN
YOU WERE READING MY
COMIC?

I WAS IN
STITCHES!

BRIAN CUMMINS,
LIVERPOOL

YOU MISSED SCHOOL
YESTERDAY, DIDN'T
YOU, JACKSON?

NOT A BIT,
SIR!

BUSTER FAN,
CAVERSHAM

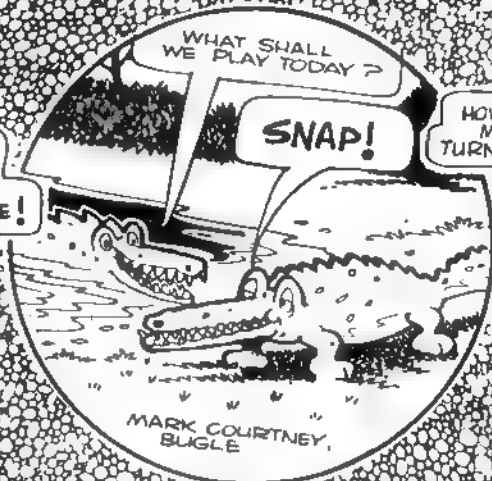
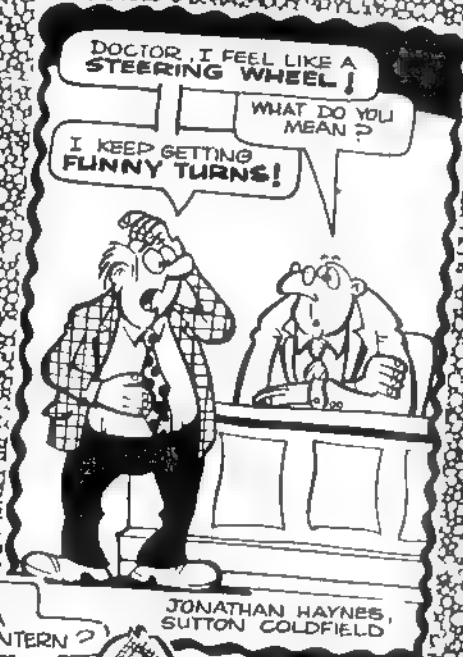
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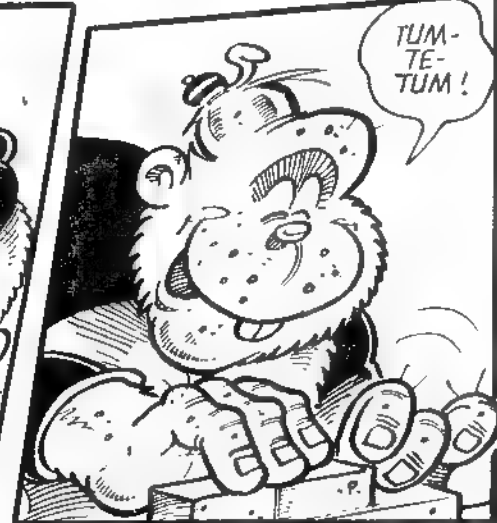
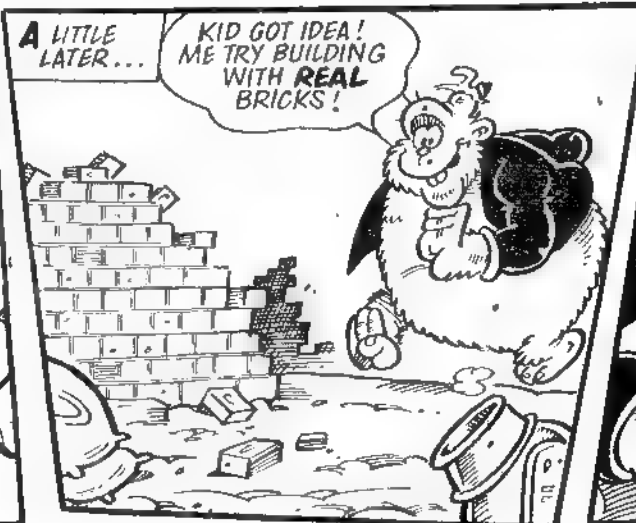
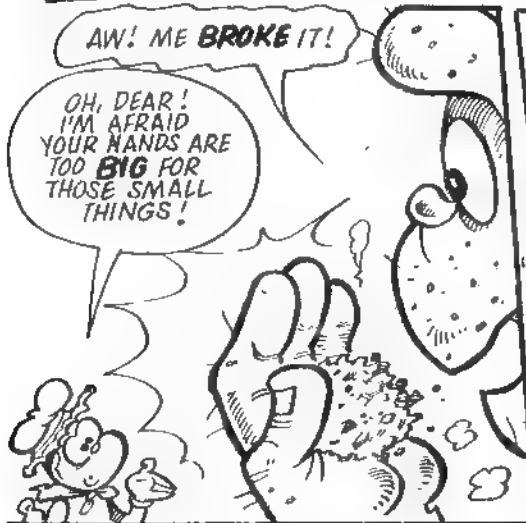
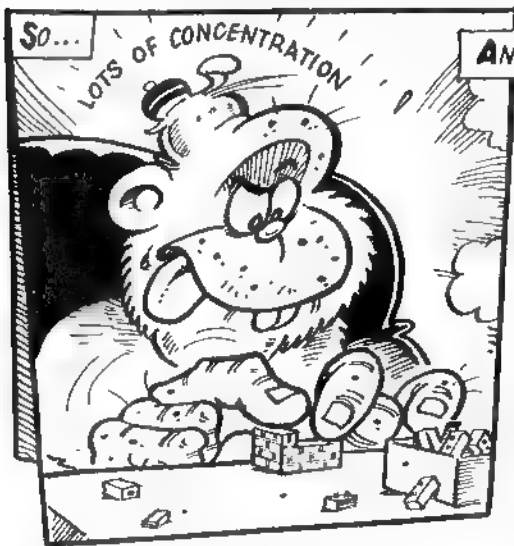


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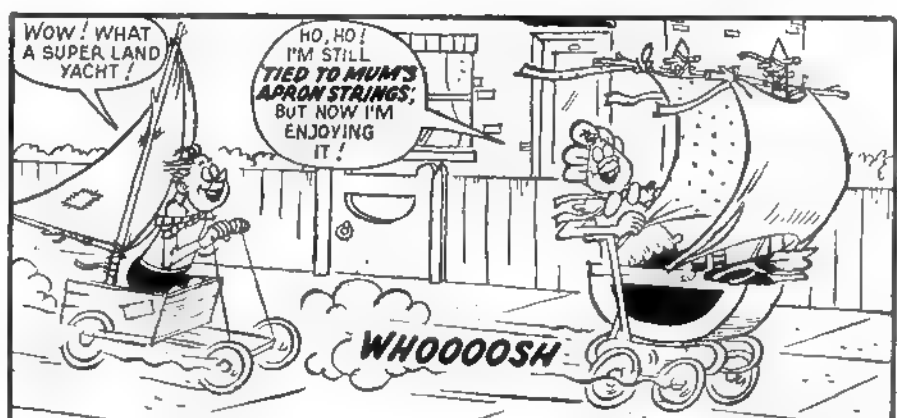
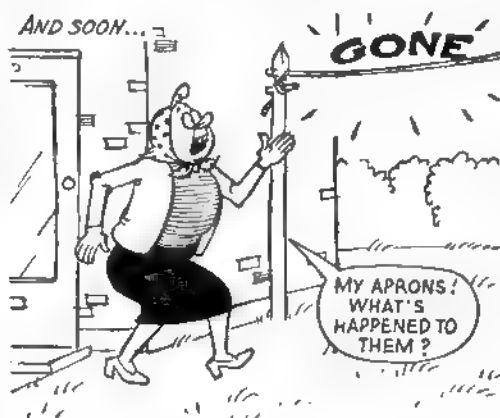


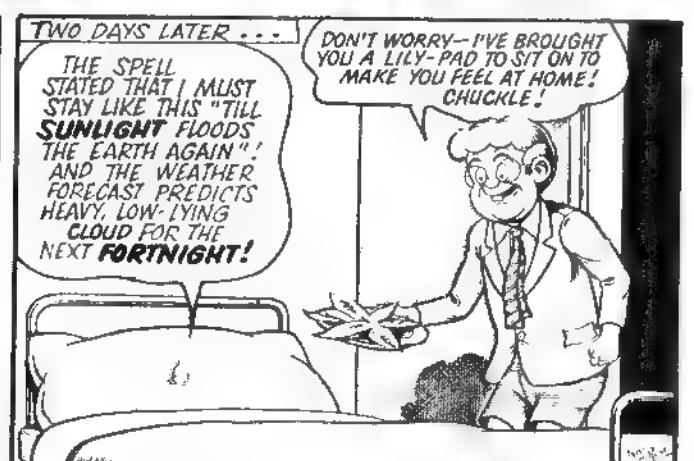
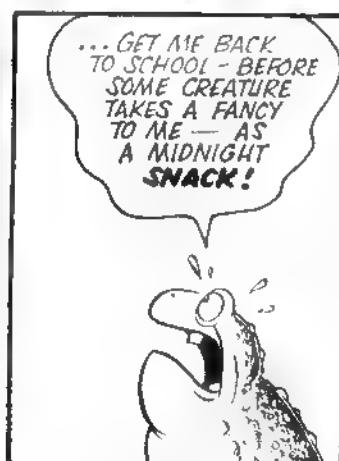
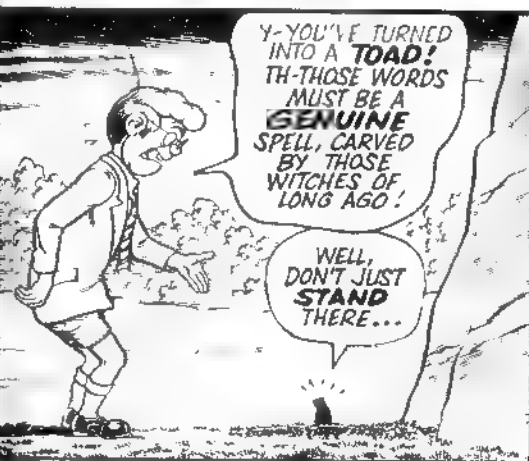
KID KONG





Mummy's Boy





BARRY and BOING

ORPHAN BARRY BATES WAS HELPING A SPRING-BUILT ROBOT CALLED BOING TO ESCAPE FROM HIS CRUEL ALIEN MASTERS BUT IN AMERICA, A CLOCKMAKER CALLED SAMUEL LEECH TAMPERED WITH BOING'S BRAIN-BOX, MAKING HIM BAD AND BRUTAL BARRY AND A GUARD TIED THE ROBOT'S LEGS TOGETHER AFTER HE HAD HELPED LEECH TO ROB A BANK. AND THEN



BUT WICKED OLD LEECH HAD SEEN THE DANGER, TOO! NEXT MOMENT...



SWIFTLY, BARRY RACED BACK TO LEECH'S WORKSHOP, AND

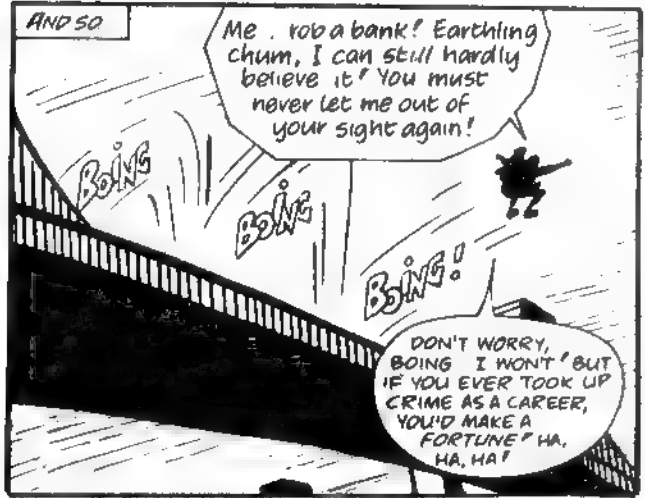
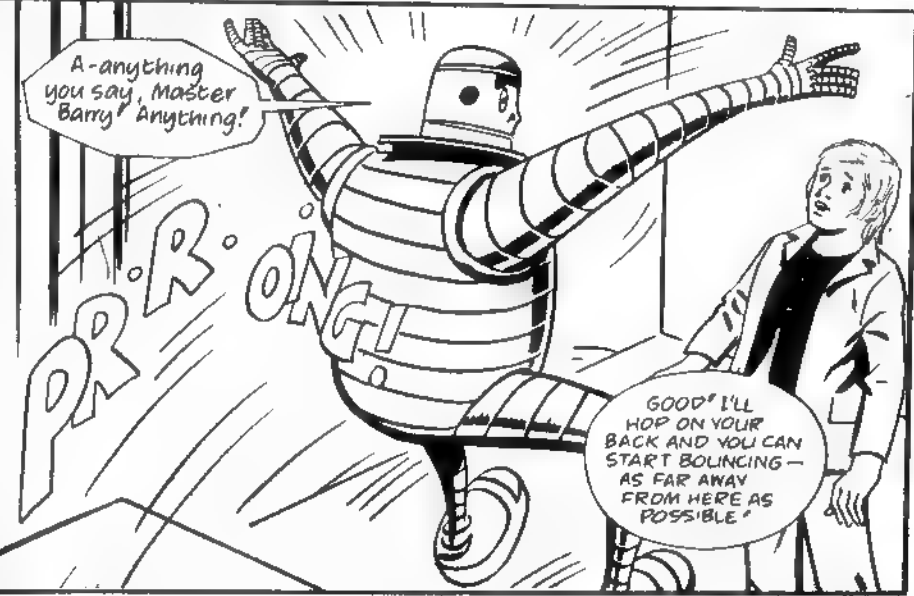
NOW TO FIND SOME TOOLS TO PERFORM THE VITAL 'OPERATION' ON BOING!



FOR TEN MINUTES. HE WORKED WITH BREATHLESS CARE AND THEN...

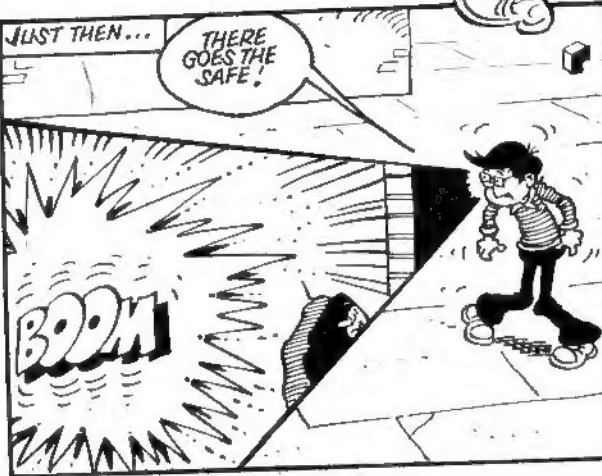
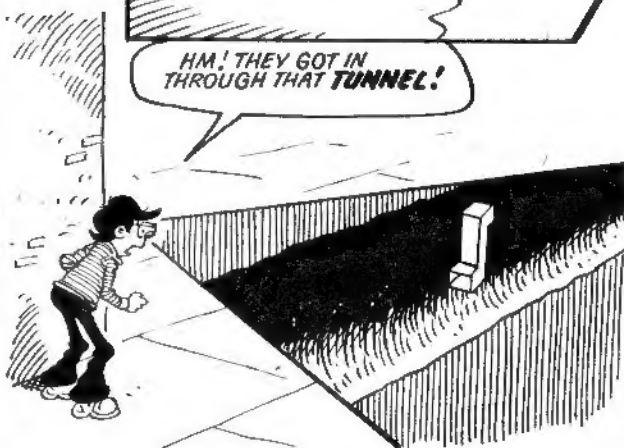
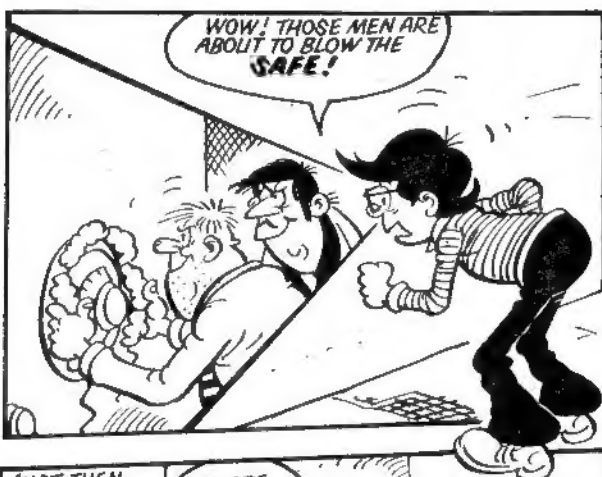
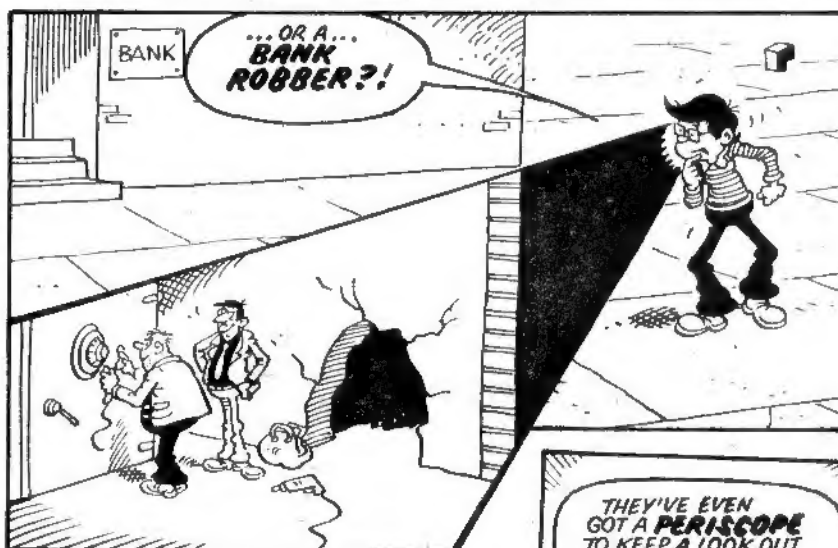


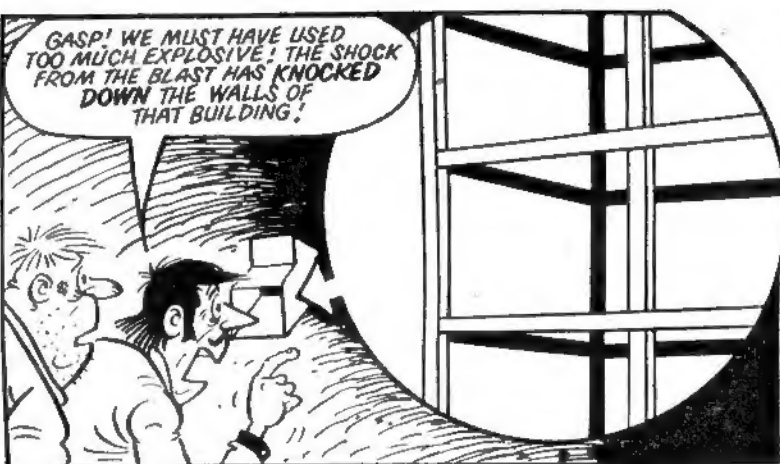
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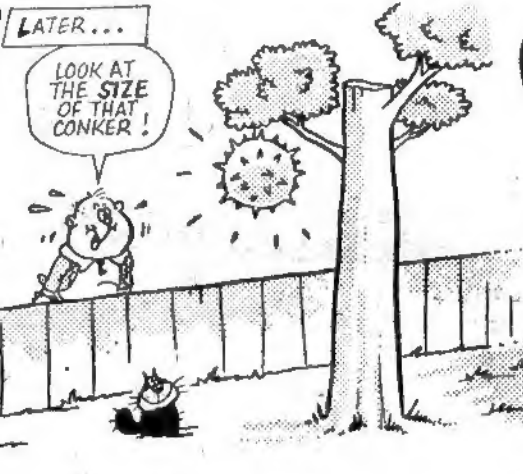
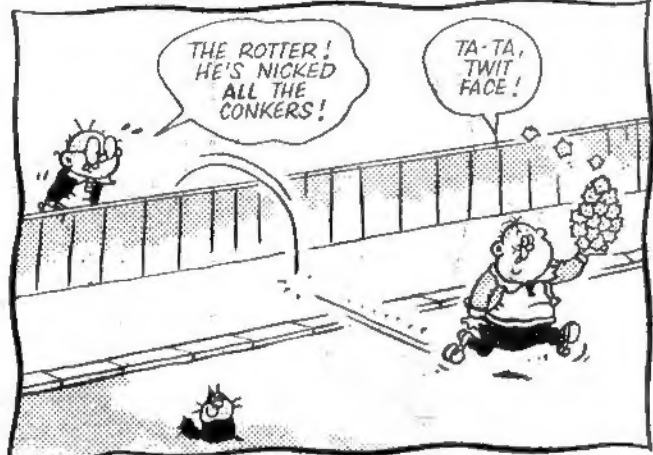
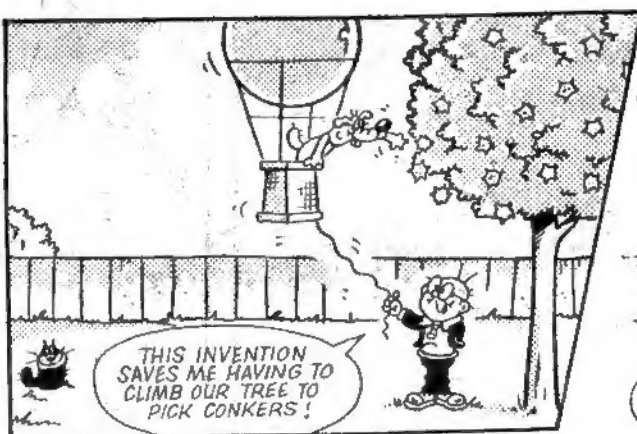
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